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LT. GOVERNOR

May 9, 2008

The Honorable Michael Mauro
Secretary of State
State Capitol Building
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit Senate File 2432, an Act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund, the endowment for Iowa's health restricted capitals fund, the tax-exempt bond proceeds restricted capital funds account, the technology reinvestment fund, the FY 2009 tax-exempt bond proceeds restricted capital funds account, the environment first fund, and the FY 2009 prison bond fund, and related matters, and providing effective and retroactive applicability date provisions. Senate File 2432 is approved on this date, with the exception noted below, which I hereby disapprove.

I am unable to approve section 35 of this bill in its entirety. This section changes the due date of the Public Transit Funding Study report called for in Senate File 2420 that the Department of Transportation must submit to the Governor and General Assembly from December 1, 2009 to December 31, 2008. The shortened deadline does not provide adequate time to conduct an effective and comprehensive study that will assure the provision of useful data and meaningful recommendations. This disapproval action will provide the Department of Transportation with adequate time to complete this statewide study by maintaining the original deadline of December 1, 2009.

For the above reasons, I respectfully disapprove the designated item in accordance with Article III, Section 16 of the Constitution of the State of Iowa. All other items in Senate File 2432 are hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

Chester J. Culver
Governor

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